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USIA ATTN ICS/COOPER

- 1. BRESCIA PANEL HAS NOT FORMULATED PRECISE QUESTIONS REFERRED TO IN PARA 5 OF MY CABLE OF NOVEMBER 2. BELIEVE THAT DISCUSSION WILL, HOWEVER, CENTER ON ISSUES NOTED IN PARA 6.
- 2. WHILE STATISTICS ON ORIGIN AND DESTINATION OF IMPORTS AND EXPORTS WITHIN ITALY HIGHLY SPECULATIVE, BRESCIA OFFICIALS HAVE PROVIDED FOLLOWING PARTIAL PROFILE FOR 1972:

A. MAJOR EXPORTS TO US (LIRA 580 317-) \$1)

- 1. ARMS AND AMMUNITION \$9.0 MILLION
- 2. METAL PRODUCTS, MACHINE TOOLS, UNCLASSIFIED

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MACHINERY \$9.0 MILLION

3. SHOES AND BOOTS \$7.1 MILLION

4. WINE \$2.3 MILLION

?. MAJOR IMPORTS FROM US (LIRA 580 EQUALS \$1)

1. SCRAP IRON AND STEEL \$7.5 MILLION

2. COTTON QMU MILLION

- 3. MACHINERY AND OTHER METAL PRODUCTS \$0.9 MILLION
- 3. AS THESE DATA SUGGEST, IRON AND STEEL SCRAP OF MAJOR IMPORTANCE AND BRESCIAN STEEL INDUSTRY ESPECIALLY DEPENDENT ON SCRAP SINCE IT MEDIUM IN SIZE AND USES LARGELY ELECTRIC FURNACES FED ENTIRELY WITH SCRAP. CONSEQUENTLY, UNCERTAINTY ABOUT US SCRAP EXPORT LICENSING A MATTER OF MUCH CONCERN IN BRSCIA.
- 4. FOR USIA AND STATE: SUGGEST YOU ACQUAINT CONG. CONABLE WITH STATUS ITALIAN SCRAP PROBLEM REPORTED MILAN'S 1739 AND 1619. FINA

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